

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: John Charles CALHOON et al. Art Unit: 2838
Application No.: 10/733,850 Examiner: S. Berhanu
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For: INDUCTIVE POWER ADAPTER

LETTER REQUESTING INITIALED PTO/SB/08 FORM

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

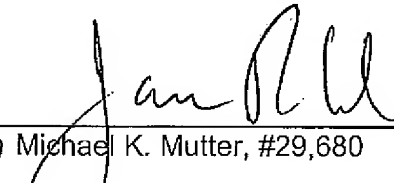
In reviewing the above-captioned application file upon allowance, the undersigned has noted that acknowledgement was not received for the last non-patent reference, System Management Bus (SMBus) Specification Version 2.0, System Management Bus (SMBus) Specification Version 2.0 p. 1-59, August 3, 2000 in the PTO/SB/08 Form filed with the Information Disclosure Statement on December 12, 2003.

Accordingly, a copy of the unacknowledged PTO/SB/08 Form is attached hereto. The Examiner is respectfully requested to return the initialed form to the undersigned as soon as possible.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. §1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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